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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is a United States patent application entitled IMPROVED TRAMPOLINE MAT AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME in the name of the following inventor(s): Thomas A. James

Enclosed are the following:

- A specification, claims, abstract, and cover page in total comprising TWENTY-SIX (26) pages.
- Six (6) sheets of drawings.
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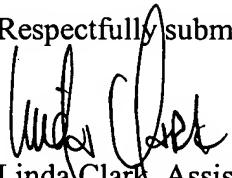
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